

I have been a licensed radio Amateur continuously since 1977, and held a Novice license in approximately 1968 to 1970.

I was an Advanced class operator for over 20 years.

I got my Extra Class license by passing the 20 words per minute code test.

I believe that while Morse Telegraphy (CW) is a fun part of Amateur radio for me, it does not seem to be a relevant technical skill that should be a requirement for Radio Licensing.

I believe that an Amateur Radio entry level license should grant limited HF privileges in modes other than CW, to give the entry level operator a chance to try out HF radio and provide an incentive to obtain a higher class of license.

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